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2d EDITION

WRECKED BY FIRE. The Metropolitan Opera House in

FATAL FIRE IN WOOSTER STREET

Flames.

Testimony of the Servant Girl in

new plays to be introduced in a few days at the Casino and Dalv's Theater and the Academy of Music. This is said to be a complete loss, and in consequence will possibly cause delays in the production of the plays. During the summer the opera house has been chiefly used for commencements and was last used for a ball. The pine floorings had not been removed, and this once ignited carried the fire to the main entrance. The interior of the theater had been overhauled and was thoroughly fitted for the opening of the season, which would have taken place in a short time. The managers say they had thirty operas to choose from, but they had not selected the one they would first produce. Before 10 o'clock the roof had been burned through and the flames and smoke shot high up into the air. This rent assisted the fire men materially in saving the Broadway front. Half a house hat the third story the falling wall. Four were buried under the debris. Morris Stack of engine No. 27 was buried under a pile of bricks and it took in the content of the content and the flames and smoke shot high up into the air. This rent assisted the fire men materially in saving the Broadway front. Half a house hat the content and the flames and smoke shot high up into the street had been burned through and the flames and smoke shot high up into the air. This rent assisted the fire men materially in saving the Broadway front. Half a house had the flames and smoke shot high up into the street. About six were carried down with the falling wall. Four were buried under the debris. Morris Stack of engine No. 27 was buried under a pile of bricks and it took in the street.

the meantime easen up everything before them, had literally burned themselves out and the fire was then reported under control.

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There was then a rumor that one suknown man had been overcome by smoke. The impression was the latter had been confounded with the boy Hains, who was removed to the New York Hospital.

There were twenty-five lines of hose in the building, and the stage carpenter turned one of these on the flames, but in a moment was obliged to fly for his life. The fire spread too rapidly and burned too fiercely to permit those within the building to make further efforts to

amount of damage.

When the fire was under control there was a

Edmund C. Stanton was secretary of the Metropolitan Opera House Company and director of opera there until last June, when he resigned both offices. He was succeeded as director of opera there until last June, when he resigned both offices. He was succeeded as secretary by H. M. McLa: en and the office of director of opera was permitted to lapse, the conduct of opera by the opera house company being abandonod for the time. Secretary McLaren was early at the scene of the fire. He said a meeting of the stockholders will be immediately called and the work of refitting the opera house will be begun as soon as the water can be got out of it. It will be necessary to practically refit the entire interior, as everything that still remains there is so damaged that it must be removed and nothing but the bare walls will remain. Even these must be repaired in places.

Solice the tragedy occurred she never saw Lizzie Borden crying.

Feasting the Returned Militia.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Col. E. F. Sheperd of the Mail and Express entertained the twenty-second, seventy-first and twelfth regiments in

must be repaired in places.

Abbey. Schoefle and Grau have leased the building for the coming season, their lease beginning in October. They had planned to begin their opera season November 21 next, and Mr. McLaren expressed the opinion that by energetic work the opera house might be ready for them on that date. The opera house had been engaged for the great temperance jubilee in September and for the Columbus and the Catholic Club banquets in October, but of course the first has canceled those dates. The last time the opera house was publicly occupied was in July last, when the delegates to the Christian Endeavor convention held a largely attended meeting there. On that occasion the orchestra was floored over as for balls, and on this floor were pisced chairs for the delegates. It still remained there and saved the handsomely upholstered orchestra was weed to the hotel and in a short time the whole structure was wrapped in flames. The guesti were panic stricken and fied in every direction. Many of them narrowly escaped with their lives. The damage done by the fire at \$00,000. The loss is covered by insurance. Had it not been that the structure is built of fireproof brick it would doubtless have been wholly destroyed.

The Broadway front of the building is not injured. At one time big embers from the burning opera house were carried by the strong ing opera house were carried by the strong in the comment of the building is not injured. At one time big embers from the burning opera house were carried by the strong ing opera house were carried by the strong in the comment of the building is not injured. At one time big embers from the burning opera house were carried by the strong in the comment of the building is not injured. At one time begin the carried to the first and twelfth regiments in their lease of law and order at Buffalo. The tinterest the cause of law and order at Buffalo. T

jured. At one time big embers from the burning opera house were carried by the strong wind to the roof of the Casino and of the Gadney House and united them, but the flames were speedily extinguished without any pasticular demagn.

The exterior of the burned theater is of pressed buff brick, with dressings of term cotta, the design being a simple treatment of the Italian renaissance. There are seventeen entrances from the street and on Breadway there were large vestibules with hat and coat rooms adjoining. The foyer was 34 by 82 feet, with a parlor connected in such a manner that they could be easily converted into a concert or lecture room with the parlor for a stage. The auditorium, the largest in the world, contained three rows and a half of boxes, 122 in all, with each of which was connected a salon, twice the size of the box itself, in which refreshments were served, wraps left and visits received between the acts.

The opera house was opened for performances in October, 1888, under the management of Henry Abbey. Since the first season it has been devoted chiefly to German opera. A number of the Wagner operas were produced at the opera house with great splendor and effectiveness. It was also the scene of the great balls each season, the last one of national importance being the centennial ball. The yearly box holders included among this number many millionaires.

holders included among this number many millionaires.

When the flames had been sufficiently subdued to permit entrance to the building it was seen that the stage and everything from the proscenium arch to the rear wall on 7th avenue had been entirely swept away excepting the bare brick walls. The roof above the stage was entirely burned away and the sky could be seen above through the smoke that still arose from the ruins. In the auditorium the five tiers that rose above the orchestra still remained, but all the trappings of the boxes, the upholstering of the chairs, the frescoes of the walls and dome had vanished. In the boxes and on the tiers above the iron frames of the chairs alone remained. The flames burned flercely here, but they did not make their way through the foof, and that still remained. Further than the entrance doors to the auditorium the flames had not succeeded in making their way. No trace of the flames was seen in that part of the building fronting on Broadway. On either corner of the building facing Broadway it rises to a height of seven stories, the six upper stories being occupied as apartments by headers and other. This previous of the

THE SERVANT GIRL TESTIFIES.

of the Murder.

FALL RIVER, MASS., Aug. 27.—The famou Borden trial was resumed this morning. The save it.

The flames speedily swept through the great auditorium and in a few minutes little was left of it except the iron work. The fire caught the richly adorned circle of boxes and they were at once a flaming furnace. The fire from the floor came up to meet the circle of boxes and the continued flames swept onward to the roof and through it. The roof was rapidly consumed, the great beams falling inward. The iron work of the seats in the auditorium soon gave way and the whole mass tumbled into the fiery furnace. The flames raged for an hour or so in the building and when they had somewhat abated it was found that they had done a vast amount of damage.

Borden trial was resumed this morning. The district court room was not so densely crowded when Judge Blaisdell took his seatat 10 o'clock. There was delay of a few minutes while District Attorney Knowlton was consulting with the attorney for the defense regarding the length of the trial. The examination of Bridget Sullivan was then continued. The witness said: Somebody was sick at the house Tuesday night. Mrs. Borden said she and Mr. Borden were sick. They had been womiting and looked sick. When Lizzie came down she said she had been sick, but I didn't notice she looked unwell. I got wood and coal from the cellar. There was a wood box in the kitchen. Miss Lizzie had been in the kitchen. Miss Lizzie had been so in the building and when they had somewhat abated it was found that they had done a vast amount of damage.

When the fire was under control there was a scene of desolation presented in the interior of the famous building the equal of which has seldom been seen.

down she said she had been sick, but I didn't notice she looked unwell. I got wood and coal from the cellar. There was a wood box in the kitchen. Miss Lizzie had been moving about eight or nine minutes when she went upstairs to her room. Mr. Borden used the sofa a great deal, but witness never saw the

second, seventy-first and twelfth regiments

Elk Knight won, Marguerite second and Ninon colt third. Time, 1.12½.

Becond race, purse \$600, six furlongs—Toano won, with Lizzetts second and Lord Harry third. Time, 1.17½.

Third race, purse \$750, one mile and a sixteenth—Won by Blitzen, Badge finished second and Gambler third. Time, 1.52.

Fourth race, the Kenner stakes, one mile and three-quarters—Ronald won, Salonica second, Rio Grande third. Time, 3.21½.

Fifth race, purse \$600, six furlongs—Won by Lasvish, Cettonade second and Tactician third. Time, 1.18.

lice court on the energe of having murdered Matilda Clover by strychnine poisoning. After hearing the evidence Sir John Bridge com-mitted Cream on the four charges of murder by

A SIGN FROM TAMMANY. There is Joy at the Democratic Headquar-

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—There was a feeling of general committee walked into headquarters and went into "executive session" with Chairman Harrity on campaign matters. It is the derstood that it means that Tammany is ready for work and that Chief Croker intends to make good his announcement of vesterday that Tammany will do its best for democratic success from this time forward. There is a general air of this time forward. There is a general air of the most intense dullness for the general list, and went into "executive session" with Chairman Harrity on campaign matters. It is understood that it means that Tammany is ready for work and that Chief Croker intends to make good his announcement of yesterday that Tammany will do its best for democratic success from this time forward. There is a general air of matisfaction about the headquarters today. Dickinson, who left for Gray Gables last night, will go thence to Chicago and have a consultation there on Wednesday with the chairmen of the state committees of the seven states which are to be looked, after by the Chicago headquarters.

the Borden Trial.

ENTS OF THE PATAL DAY.

MISTOROUTAN OPERA MODEL

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rescue of the thirty-nine led to the belief that perhaps others in the far workings of the pit had escaped and were awaiting the coming of their rescuers. The work of clearing the galleries is being pushed as rapidly as the poison-laden atmosphere of the pit will permit. Another miner was rescued today, making a total of forty saved today.

ley, last night and two men are now in Allegheny lock-up on suspicion of having been concerned in the crime. It is said that a man named Adams discovered the obstructions and was in the act of removing them when he was shot by thieves, who were in hiding. He was shot in the forchead, but is said large amount living. The train had a large amount living. were placed on board and are now in the Allegheny lockup awaiting an investigation. The place where this attempt was made to wreck the train was an isolated one, and the fiends could have pursued their work of robbery without molestation. The passengers were greatly excited and threats of lynching were made.

DISTRICT GOVERNMENT.

COMPLAINT OF A DANGEROUS CROSSING. The Commissioners have lately received coniderable complaint from the citizens of Anacostia on account of the dangerous railroad crossing at that side of the Navy Yard bridge, and have urged repeatedly that a night watchman be stationed there. The Commissioners have referred the matter to the police department for a report on the cases.

The superintendent of foreign mails has received from the postmaster of New York a comnunication requesting instructions as to the adoption of precautionary measures to prevent the introduction into this country through the mails of cholera, now epidemic in various parts of Europe.

The department has instructed Postmaster

Van Cott to confer with the health officers at New York and to communicate at once what measures are by them regarded as necessary. It is stated that there will be prompt and cordial co-operation between the department and the health officers at New York in this matter.

Let Off With a Fine. Walter Chappell, who was sent to jail a week ago by Judge Mills because he chained a small boy, his nephew, as a punishment, was released yesterday, having been permitted by Judge Mills to pay a fine, who took this action on representations made to him that Chappell bore a good

Mr. J. Walter Blandford, secretary to Senator Felton, left today for San Francisco to spend the recess on the coast as the Senator's guest.

Fire at midnight in the Ross Meetan brake shoe works in Chattanooga, Tenn., destroyed the foundry. Loss about \$4,000.

An index to the Londou Times is issued periodically by a person not connected with the establishment. This work is praised or condemned by that journal the same as though it had to do with any other matter.

The London Standard says: "The suspension of an old colonial house will be announced today. The institution has long held a high position and its stoppage must react unfavorably Fire at midnight in the Ross Meetian brake tion and its stoppage must react unfavorably on some colonial credit institutions."

The Chinese in San Diego object to having their photographs taken for identification, and say they will not pay any attention to the new registration law and will do all they can to avade it.

IN WALL STREET TODAY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 .- Money on call has intense satisfaction at democratic headquarters 2. Prime mercantile paper is in only fair detoday when Chairman Smith of Tammany's mand, while the supply is increasbeen easy, with all loans at 2, closing offered at ing and rates are stiffer, sixty to ninety days' indorsed bills receivable being quoted

the most intense dullness for the general list, but the leading shares made further progress in the upward direction, all except Western Union rising above opening figures. Minneapolis and St. Louis further declined to 39, but later recovered to 40%. The bank statement had no influence, and the market finally closed dull and steady to firm at a shade above the opening

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. The following are the opening and closing prices of the New York Stock Market, as reported by special refer to Careen & Manarter, 1419 F street.

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future development and resources of the country. Our commercial and industrial interests are now enjoying a very fair share of prosperity. Business is not only on a larger scale than ever before, as demonstrated by clearing house returns and railroad earnings, but it is also in exceptionally sound condition—this statement being confirmed by the small number as well as the character of business failures. Agricultural interests are also in model above. tural interests are also in good shape, as, in spite of smaller yields of wheat, corn, cotton and other products, we shall, with last season's sur-plus, have sufficient and to spare. The rail-roads are not likely to suffer from any insuffi-

He was shot in the forehead, but is still living. The train had a large amount of money on board. The train left this city on time, and about 11 o'clock last night, when near Emon Valley, the engineer discovered an obstruction on the track and succeeded in checking the train in time to avert a serious accident. It was found that some ties had been placed on the track and firmly secured. A search in the vicinity was made and two suspicious looking men were found. They were bound and held until an east bound train arrived. They were placed on board and are now in the Allegheny lockup awaiting an interest and the track and firmly secured. A search in the Capital Allegheny lockup awaiting an interest and the track and firmly secured and bechanics, 199 bid, — asked. Bank of the Republic, 260 bid, — asked. Bank of th Insurance Stocks—Firemen's, 47 bid. — asked

tigating the riots in the Cour d'Alene mines.

The Ocqueoc Improvement Company, an eighteen months'old enterprise, of Rogers City, Mich., has been forced to the wall. Over 100 mill hands and teamsters have received no pay for some time.

The fifth special train of five carloads of fruit for Europe was sent out from Sacramento last week. The increasing prices paid in Engiand for fresh fruit may cause the centinuance of weekly special trains of sacraments of the continuance of patriotic speches. The audience wast and in agent and in a

Chairman Edson Makes a Tour of Inst

ALL THE WORK IN A GOOD STATE OF AND EVERYTHING WILL BE COMPLETED IN AMPLE TIME-LIVING WAR GOVERNORS TO BE INVITED NOTES.

Chairman John Joy Edson of the citizens' executive committee on the Grand Army encampment today made a tour of inspection and is evidently much gratified at the progress which has been made in the erection of the many buildings required for the shelter and convenience of the veterans who will be here "Everything is under satisfactory headway,"

said Mr. Edson to a STAR reporter this afternoon, "and I could not feel otherwise than exceedingly gratified at the smooth manner in which everything is now moving. We are conwhich everything is now moving. We are considerably ahead of time on every number in the program, and shall have things finished ahead of time. There is no hitch as to building materials or workmen, and if things run all right for a few days longer the great burden of preparation will be only a memory."

At 7 o'clock this evening Chairman Edson will leave for Fortress Monroe. He is decidedly short on sleep and remarked jocularly that he would sleep from the time he got on the boat until the same steamer ties up to the wharf on

would steep from the time ne got on the boat until the same steamer ties up to the wharf on Monday evening. Monday will be the first week day during the whole of this summer on which Mr. Edson has absented himself from the city. LIVING WAR GOVERNORS TO BE INVITED. Early next week invitations will be issued from headquarters of the executive committee

to the sixteen living war governors. Great honors, such as the public can render, are in store for these distinguished men and a special effort will be made to secure their attendance. A special meeting of these ex-governors will be held on the reunion grounds in Grand Army place and altogether their visit will be loaded to the muzzle with pleasant features. the muzzle with pleasant features.

It was not originally intended to decorate the entrances to Grand Army place, but the committee on decorations thinks its revised plan Review of the Market.

Henry Clews' "Weekly Financial Review," issued today, says: The stock market did not disappoint expectations. Prices have experienced a good advance, and indications are still favorable. As already maintained in these advices, the basis of the present advance is the confidence of the big holders of stocks in the future development and resources of the country.

The following posts have applied for quarters

APPLIED FOR OUARTERS. during the past week: Eph. Scott Post, 464, Mahomet, Ill., for 16; Seth C. Earl Post, 156, Ottawa, Ill., for 80; W. C. Scott Post, 100, Van Wert, Ohio, for 100; St. Frank Torbet Post, 506, Gatchellville, Pa., for 25; Jacqueth Post, 196, Sycamore, Ohio, for 25; Lenhart Post, 163, Tottenville, N. Y., for 15; Lenhart Post, 163, Tottenville, N. Y., for 15; Laeut. W. A. Bruner Post, 335, Sunbury, Pa., for 50; John Koch Post, 354, Nickleville, Pa., for 20; Duncan Post, 165; Dunbar, Pa., for 20; Rob't McDermott Post, 223, Millerstown, Pa., for 12; A. H. Jackson Post, 299, Coop-erstown, N. Y., for 15; W. N. Harris Post, 32, Belleville, W. Va., for 15; J. J. An-drews! Post, 70, Corry, Pa., for 75; S. S. McCready Post, 456, Cadiz, Ohio, for 30; Bradford Post, 141, Bradford, Pa., for 6; W. C. Carr Post, 328, Bear Lake, Pa., for 12; Coronds are not line.

Siency of freight for some time ing by the small additions to mileage durate last few years and the increase of traffic and population, there is more likely to be a scarcity of facilities than of tonnage. Two events happened during the week under review which very materially strengthened the market, viz. the Buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts buffalo strike. The future of the market certainly seems favorable. In addition to the facts b

Humphrey Post, 333, So.Logan, Mich., for 15; Choate Humphrey Post, 56, Napoleon, Ohio, for 10; Harrisonville Post, 58, Harrisonville, Mo., for 20; Jos. Mann Post, 348, Steuben, Ohio, for 22; Anthony Strong Post, 170, Creston, Ohio, for 25; W. H. Gibson Post, 431, Leeds, Kan., for 5; G. H. Thomas Post, 6, Deleran, Wis., for 6; David Clamor Post, 80, Trenton, Ark., for 25; M. A. Taintor Post, 9, Colchester, Conn., for 30; Starkweather Post, 60, Monongahela, Pa., for 25; Lt. D. H. Wilson Post, 134, Mifflintown, Pa., for 50; Abe Lincoln Post, 29, Council Bluffs, Iowa, for 50; Hyde Clark Post, 78, Dubuque, Iowa, for 50; Hyde Clark Post, 78, Dubuque, Iowa, for 50; Moses Ellia Post, 117, Medfield, Mass., for 15; Milton Weaver Post, 439, Forestville, N. Y., for 10; John McKee Post, 599, Cambridge, N. Y., for 25; Neal Post, 62, Sidney, Ohio, for 250.

QUARTERS FURNISHED.

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Elkins has decided to order out all the regular troops stationed here or within easy reach; the Secretary of the Navy will do as here and may call upon the contingent at Nor-folk, while Gen. Ordway will order out the Dis-trict National Guard. A large number of famous old soldiers will be on the platform, and Maj. McElroy feels certain that among them will be President Harrison and several

THE BAILBOAD ACCOMMODATIONS. Arrangements are rapidly being perfected by of the increased traffic they will be called upon to handle during encampment week. The Pennsylvania Company's plans are not yet com-plete, but the Baltimore and Ohio Company is practically ready at this time. Additional Pennsylvania Company's plans are not yet complete, but the Baltimore and Ohio Company is practically ready at this time. Additional trackage has been laid at the New York argune yard so as to provide room for about thirty extra sleeping cars. The capacity of the yard is now equal to about 120 cars. Stationmaster Alvey, speaking of the matter to a Star reporter, said: "We expect to get there in our usual successful fashion, and with both feet. The handling a big crowd does not worry us in the least, and although this crowd promises to be greater than any of its predecessors I do not anticipate any annoying quantity of friction. So far as freight is concerned we are better fixed than ever before. Just fifty miles away are the Brunswick yards, and there we shall aggregate all the Washington freight until the heavy passenger traffic is out of the way. Today commercial agents of the principal roads have put in several hours calling upon those who are in the shoit of shipping or receiving large quantities of freight towarn them that from September 14 to September 27 there will be practically a stoppage of all freight business. It is understood that each road has agreed to run ten cars of perishable freight towarn them that from Beptember 14 to September 27 there will be practically a stoppage of all freight business. It is understood that each road has agreed to run ten cars of perishable freight the each day from Baltimore.

NOTES

Frank P. Blair Post of St. Louis, Mo., one of

the most famous posts in the country, will ar- for the action of the grand jury, and in defarive in the city on the 17th and on that evening of ball he was committed to jai will attend Mrs. John A. Logan in a body, to will attend Mrs. John A. Logan in a body, to whom they will present a beautiful badge as a souvenir of the encampment of 1832 and as a memento of their association with Gen. Logan in the Army of the Tennessee.

Washingtonians who belong to the light artillery of the Army of the Potomae are requested to meet at Willard's Hotel Monday evening.

Survivors of the twenty-second army corps will meet at the Ebbitt House on Tuesday even-

will meet at the Ebbitt House on Tuesday even-ing to prepare for the reunion.

The War Department has promulgated the The War Department has promulgated the invitation of Col. McElroy of the local G. A. R. committee to army officers resident in

Washington to participate in the dedicatory ceremonies of Grand Army Place. Permission is also granted troops stationed at Washingto and Fort Myer to take part in the exercises.

Suleiman Pasha, Whose Charges Astonishe

the World, Dies at Constantinople. From the Philadelphia Press.

Suleiman Pasha, the luckless hero of Shipka Pass, whose death at Constantinople was aunounced in the columns of the Press yesterday, was born in Roumelia in 1838 and began life as a student of theology. About 1863 he deserted the school for the camp, studied for a time at the military school at Pankaldi and then entered the army, in which his rise was then entered the army, in which his rise was quite rapid, even at the start. He held the rank of major at the end of 1870, when the Yemen expedition was undertaken. On his re-CHASE, at 3 o'clock sharp.

CHASE, at Columbia Hospital, 1 30 p.m., KITIY CHASE, azed nineteen years. turn he was appointed subgovernor and later governor of the military school at Pankaidi, from which latter office he was removed by Redif, who ordered him to the command of one

May, Suleiman defeated several small bodies of Montenegrins, and then made his famous passage of Duga pass. The fighting in this difficult deflie lasted five days, and Suleiman lost over 4,000 men, while the Montenegrin loss was but 700. He joined Ali Saib in the heart of Montenegro, but deemed it best to abandon his contemplated advance upon Cettings, the capital, and in the middle of July started on his restrict to all intents and purposes defeated.

Balkan range. But Ghourko had aiready crossed the mountains and seized Kezzanlik, at the outlet of the Shipka pass. Suleiman's approach forced him to retire from the open country, and in August took place a struggle for the possession of the Shipka pass which has few parallels in military history. Gen. Derojinsky, with but 8,000 men, was in possession of the pass and was ordered to hold it at any sacrifice. Opposed to him was the whole of Suleiman's army, then 30,000 strong. The attack began on the morning of August 21 and was continued for three days and nights with uninterrupted impetuosity. The losses on the Russian sade were very great, but the slaughter of the Turks, who had to climb up the precipitous mountain side by a circuitous road, was frightful. Twelve thousand men are estimated to have fallen in this terrific onslaught. Bussian relays of troops then began to arrive, and notwithstanding the fact that the Turks were reinforced and succeeded in planting siege guns on the heights around Fort St. Nicholas, the pass remained in possession of the invaders.

On the 4th of October Suleiman was appointed to succeed Mehemet Ali as commander of the main Turkish army to the north of the Balkans. But Plevna was still closely besieged and Suleiman could do nothing more than Mehemet Ali to relieve it. He was finally defeated on the 12th of December by the Russian Grand Duke Vladimir near Metchka after a desperate engagement which lasted seven hours.

In February, 1878, Suleiman was relieved of his command and came to Constantinople under arrest. He was sent to St. Jean d'Aere, but permitted to return to Constantinople in less than a month, and in April was placed on The following posts have been furnished quarters during the present week: Hancock

der arrest. He was sent to St. Jean d'Acre, but permitted to return to Constantinople in less than a month, and in April was placed on trial before a court-martial. The inquiry into his conduct during the war was not terminated until December, when he was convicted of gross incompetency and mismanagement and sentenced to be degraded from his rank and confined in a fortress for fifteen years.

Suleiman Pasha was described as a most unostentatious and reserved man. He was tall and strongly built, with rude and wrinkled face and a short red beard and mustache. He spoke a little French, was simple and self-reliant, slept on the ground under a piece of canvass stretched over two sticks, had only two attendants on his staff, and fared like his men.

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Owing to his extreme strictness as a disciplinarian, and to the severity, often amounting to cruelty, with which he punished all offenses, he was no favorite with his soldiers and was actually disliked by his officers, especially by those of the higher ranks. He was undoubtedly a man of courage and of resources, but he was vain of himself and jealous of everybody, and was thus never ready to co-operate with any other commander, and his fiery temper and headstrong will never permitted him to count the cost of such desperate operations as his reckless charges in the Shipka pass.

ing the trestle work near the Georgetown channel cries of help were heard and the train was stopped and numbers got off and went back, and a boat was secured and search made for the body, but it could not be found. Among the crowd who got en at Jackson City was Albert Dozin, a well-known policy man, who lived recently in Dwyer's court, between H. I. 3d and 4½ streets southwest, and the description given of the man who uttered the cries as he was falling tallies so nearly with him that it is thought he was the one. It is known that he took a seat on the steps of the car and it is thought by some that when he arose he lost his balance and fell into the river, and by others that he intended to jump off on the narrow timbers and failed.

The body of the man was recovered at 10 o'clock this morning. The whole harbor force was at work, but it was Officer Frank Hughes who grappied the body. The corpse was removed to the morgue.

It was identified as that of Albert Dozier. The dead man's face and body showed evidences of having come in contact with the woodwork of the bridge.

This afternoon Undertaker Young of South Washington took charge of the body and removed it to his establishment on 3d street.

The coroner was notified.

Mr. Nicholas Lindner of 1742 Pennsylva avenue, aged sixty years, was found dead in his bed, and the coroner decided that death was

HELD FOR THE GRAND JURY. William Simms Charged With Assault Wit

"You are charged with assault and batt with intent to kill," read Clerk Harper th morning to William Simms, a well-dre ored man. "Are you guilty or not guilty?" "Of intent to murder?" asked the prisone "Yes," answered the clerk, "with inter

to killi." "Then I'm not guilty," said the prisoner Mr. A. Hausen Acton, a berdie driver, was

The affair happened on the 22d day of last month at the herdic stables. The complainant

the force of the blow, was removed to the Emergency Hospital, where Dr. Woodward at

tended him. On account of his condition the case could not be tried until today.

Judge Mills held the prisoner in \$1,000 ball

A Relay Bicycle Race.

burg has been arranged by representatives of the Pittsburg Leader. It will be sensimilitary in its character and, so far as that portion of the road between this city and Frederick, Md., is concerned, entirely military. Gen. Ordway has been requested to furnish a sufficient number of rider second separate company (cycle corps) and he has consented to do so. The start will be made from headquarters of the District National Guard on September 2.

Range of the Thermo The following were the temperatures at the ffice of the weather bureau today: Sa.m., 7 2 p.m., 75; maximum. 76; minimum. 65.

ARMINGER. Suddenly, Amend 26, 1892, JAMPS R. ARMINGER, and twenty-four years. Funeral will take place at Bellsville, Md., on Sunday, August 28, at 2 o'clock p.m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. BLACKMAN. On Thursday, Aurusa 25, 1882, 4 15 a.m., EVA L. BLACKMAN, beloved daught Little Eva is safe in the arms of Jesus, for He has said, "Suffer little children to come unto see and format them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

'Us hard to break the tender cord When love has bound the heart.
'The hard, so hand, to speak the words, Must we forever part.

By HER FRIENDS Funeral from Lee's undertaking rooms Monday at DACY. On Friday, Aurust 26, 1882, at 11-45 a u FEREMIAH DACY, beloved husband of Mary Da-in the circly-fourth year of his are, from pari Cabarah, County Cork, Ireland. Funeral will take place Sunday, Aurust 28, 1.30 p.m., from his late residence, No. 204 Mass

JACKSON. On August 26, 1892, at 9:30 p.m. No. 1445 Pierre street northwest, WILLIAM BAKI JACKSON, son of Martha Brook.

Josus, the very thought of Thea With sweetness fills my breast But sweeter far Thy face to see And in Thy presence rest. Oh, hope of every contrite heart, Oh, joy of all the meek; To these who fall how kind Thon art, How good to those who seek?

BY HIS COUSIN, CORA MORRIS, Funeral from Metropolitan Baptist Church, Ratrabetween P2th and 13th acrests, Sunday morning, the instant, at 11 o'clock. Family and friends are invited actend.

MATTHEWS. On August 27, 1892, EMILY CONCORAN, acred eleven months and twenty-five day and daughter of Henry Stoddert Matthews and san Nicholson Matthews of Georgetown, D. C.

The burial service will be had on Monday, August 29, at 5 o'clock p.m., at No. 1347-30th street nots west, where friends will kindly attend. Intermediates BY HIS COUSIN, CORA MORRIS

MYERS, On Saturday, August 27, 186 Pelock a.m., Mrs. HENRIETTA MYERS,

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